

General news

Dear parents/carers

Another busy week has seen our F2 children visit The Country Park at Hessle Foreshore. The children were looking for signs of Spring and minibeast hunting before going on a bear hunt!



The children's behaviour was fantastic and a member of the public later emailed to say:

'I had to email today about the beautifully well behaved children I saw today from your school. They were on a trip at Hessle foreshore having a picnic. They listened, engaged with the staff, looked very happy, it was just really lovely to see. I did pass on my thoughts to a teacher I spoke to and she advised to email in, rightly so, the children and staff were a wonderful representation of your school and deserve good feedback.'

Have a lovely half term holiday and we will see you for the children's return on Wednesday 7th June.

Thank you for your continued support – Mr Batty and Mrs Pearce

Attendance

Whole school attendance has risen slightly and now stands at **93.2%**. National average is normally around **95.5%**.

If your child is not going to be in school then please let the school office know as soon as possible.

Just a reminder that holidays will be unauthorised and unauthorised attendance could well lead to a fine.

Key messages

Jewellery – This is a reminder that children are strictly **NOT TO WEAR** earrings to school. This is clearly stated on the school website and this is something that has been for place for at least 20 years. A link to the school uniform policy can be found here <https://longhillprimary.org.uk/uniform/>

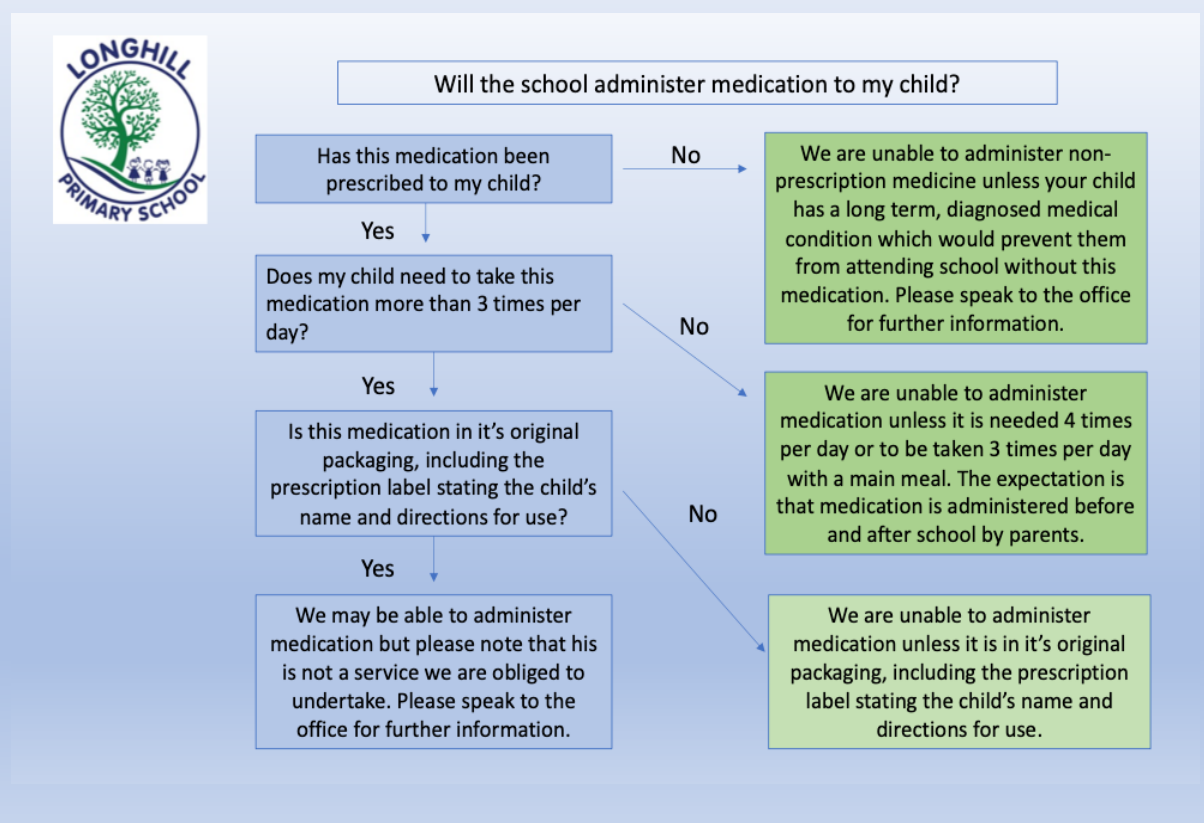
Energy drinks – We are seeing some of our older children starting to come to school with energy drinks, these are not allowed in school. Please take a minute to read the information below about the negative effects of drinking energy drinks.

Lunch menu - The menu for Summer can be found in the link below:

<https://longhillprimary.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/HCAT-Menu-Week-1-Summer-term.pdf>

Safeguarding corner – Medication in school

We have had a few questions lately regarding whether we can administer medicine to children. Please look at the flowchart below which explains this further. A copy of this poster will be up in the school reception.



Dates for your diary

Friday 26th May – Finish for half term

Wednesday 7th June – Children return to school

Monday 12th June – Friday 23rd June – Year 6 swimming

Monday 26th June – Wednesday 28th June – Year 6 residential

Monday 3rd July – Friday 14th July – Year 4/5 swimming

Tuesday 4th July – Music concert for KS2

Monday 10th July – Friday 14th July – Year 6 transition week

Wednesday 12th July – Year 3 trip to Bonus Arena

Thursday 13th and Friday 14th July – transition days in school, children to spend time with their new teacher

Monday 17th July – Thursday 20th July – Sport week. Children to wear PE kit all week.

Tuesday 18th July – Year 6 play and leavers service

Thursday 20th July – Finish for Summer

Friday 21st July – Training day – Children not in school

Wednesday 6th September – Children return to school for the new year

Click below for a link to the term dates

<https://longhillprimary.org.uk/term-dates/>